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SUBJECT: ROME/ATHENS HIJACKING

1. AT THE NOON PRESS BRIEFING DECEMBER 18, DEPARTMENT PRESS
SPOKESMAN SAID:

2. "I WOULD LIKE TO, IN CONNECTION WITH THIS SITUATION IN
ROME, THE TRAGIC CIRCUMSTANCES THERE, JUST MAKE ONE FURTHER
COMMENT. I'M NOT IN A POSITION TODAY TO GIVE YOU ANY FACTS
AS TO THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO DIED OR HOW MANY AMERICANS
MIGHT HAVE DIED THERE. CERTAINLY, OUR DEEPEST REGRETS GO
TO ALL OF THOSE PEOPLE WHO WERE KILLED AND THEIR FAMILIES.
AND WE WOULD ALSO LIKE TO OFFER OUR SYMPATHES TO THE GOVERN-
MENT OF MOROCCO, AND PEOPLE, AT THE LOSS OF THE LIVES OF
FOUR OFFICIALS WHO WERE ON THE PAN AMERICAN PLANE AND ALL
OF WHOM WERE ENGAGED IN PROMOTING THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL
DEVELOPMENT OF THEIR COUNTRY. RUSH

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